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Proposed Appropriation Language Department of State and Related Agencies

DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR PROGRAMS

(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

For necessary expenses of the Department of State and the Foreign Service not otherwise provided for, [\$5,360,318,000] \$8,960,016,000, of which [\$1,117,000,000] \$1,648,000,000 is for Worldwide Security Protection (to remain available until expended) : *Provided, That the Secretary of State may transfer up to \$137,600,000 of the total funds made available under this heading to any other appropriation of any department or agency of the United States, upon the concurrence of the head of such department or agency, to support operations in and assistance for Afghanistan and to carry out the provisions of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, to be allocated as follows:*

(1) Human resources.—For necessary expenses for training, human resources management, and salaries, including employment without regard to civil service and classification laws of persons on a temporary basis (not to exceed \$700,000), as authorized by section 801 of the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948, [\$2,118,598,000] \$2,676,087,000, to remain available until September 30, [2010] 2011, of which not less than [\$130,637,000] \$138,075,000 shall be available only for public diplomacy American salaries , and, \$229,797,000 is for *Worldwide Security Protection and shall remain available until expended.*

(2) Overseas programs.—For necessary expenses for the regional bureaus of the Department of State and overseas activities as authorized by law, [\$1,548,617,000] \$2,777,479,000, to remain available until September 30, [2010] 2011, of which not less than [\$264,169,000] \$381,800,000 shall be available only for public diplomacy international information programs.

(3) Diplomatic policy and support.—For necessary expenses for the functional bureaus of the Department of State including representation to certain international organizations in which the United States participates pursuant to treaties ratified pursuant to the advice and consent of the Senate or specific Acts of Congress, general administration, and arms control, nonproliferation and disarmament activities as authorized, [\$585,078,000] \$917,917,000, to remain available until September 30, [2010] 2011.

(4) Security programs.—For necessary expenses for security activities, [\$1,108,025,000] \$2,588,533,000, to remain available until September 30, [2010] 2011, *of which, \$1,418,203,000 is for Worldwide Security Protection and shall remain available until expended.*

(5) Fees and payments collected.—In addition to amounts otherwise made available under this heading—

(A) not to exceed [\$1,605,150] \$1,653,305 shall be derived from fees collected from other executive agencies for lease or use of facilities located at the International Center in accordance with section 4 of the International Center Act, and, in addition, as authorized by section 5 of such Act, \$490,000, to be derived from the reserve authorized by that section, to be used for the purposes set out in that section;

(B) as authorized by section 810 of the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act, not to exceed \$6,000,000, to remain available until expended, may be credited to this appropriation from fees or other payments received from English teaching, library, motion pictures, and publication programs and from fees from educational advising and counseling and exchange visitor programs; and

(C) not to exceed \$15,000, which shall be derived from reimbursements, surcharges and fees for use of Blair House facilities.

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(6) Transfer and reprogramming.—

(A) Notwithstanding any provision of this Act, funds may be reprogrammed within and between subsections under this heading subject to section [7015] 7011 of this Act.

(B) Of the amount made available under this heading, not to exceed [\$10,000,000] \$10,000,000 may be transferred to, and merged with, funds made available by this Act under the heading "Emergencies in the Diplomatic and Consular Service", to be available only for emergency evacuations and rewards, as authorized.

(C) Funds appropriated under this heading are available for acquisition by exchange or purchase of passenger motor vehicles as authorized by law and, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1108(g), for the field examination of programs and activities in the United States funded from any account contained in this title. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act 2009.*)

[For an additional amount for "Diplomatic and Consular Programs", \$1,465,700,000, to remain available until September 30, 2009, of which \$210,400,000 is for worldwide security protection and shall remain available until expended: *Provided*, That not more than \$1,150,000,000 of the funds appropriated under this heading shall be available for diplomatic operations in Iraq: *Provided further*, That of the funds appropriated under this heading, not more than \$30,000,000 shall be made available to establish and implement a coordinated civilian response capacity at the United States Department of State.]

[For an additional amount for "Diplomatic and Consular Programs", \$704,900,000, which shall become available on October 1, 2008, and remain available through September 30, 2009: *Provided*, That of the funds appropriated under this heading, \$78,400,000 is for worldwide security protection and shall remain available until expended: *Provided further*, That not more than \$550,500,000 of the funds appropriated under this heading shall be available for diplomatic operations in Iraq.] (*Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2008.*)

CAPITAL INVESTMENT FUND

For necessary expenses of the Capital Investment Fund, [\$71,000,000] \$160,000,000, to remain available until expended, as authorized: *Provided*, That section 135(e) of Public Law 103-236 shall not apply to funds available under this heading. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

CIVILIAN STABILIZATION INITIATIVE

For necessary expenses to establish, support, maintain, mobilize, and deploy a civilian response corps [in coordination with the United States Agency for International Development,] and for related reconstruction and stabilization assistance to prevent or respond to conflict or civil strife in foreign countries or regions, or to enable transition from such strife, [\$45,000,000] \$323,272,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That [up to \$23,014,000] *such funds* may be made available [in fiscal year 2009] to provide administrative expenses for the Office of the Coordinator for Reconstruction and Stabilization: *Provided further*, That [notwithstanding any other provision of law and following consultation with the Committees on Appropriations, the President may exercise transfer authorities contained in the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 for reconstruction and stabilization assistance managed by the Office of the Coordinator for Reconstruction and Stabilization, United States Department of State, only to support an actively deployed civilian response corps, subject to the regular notification procedures of the Committees on Appropriations: *Provided further*, That not later than 60 days after enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State and the Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development shall submit a coordinated joint spending plan for funds made available under this heading and under the heading "Civilian Stabilization Initiative" in title II of this Act] *the Secretary of State may transfer and merge funds*

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made available under any other heading in Titles I, III and IV of this Act with funds made available under this heading to maintain and deploy a civilian response corps and to provide reconstruction and stabilization assistance: Provided further, That the Secretary may appoint, compensate and remove Civilian Reserve Corps personnel without regard to Civil Service or classification laws. (Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)

EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

For expenses of educational and cultural exchange programs, as authorized, [\$538,000,000] \$633,243,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That not to exceed \$5,000,000, to remain available until expended, may be credited to this appropriation from fees or other payments received from or in connection with English teaching, educational advising and counseling programs, and exchange visitor programs as authorized. *(Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)*

PROTECTION OF FOREIGN MISSIONS AND OFFICIALS

For expenses, not otherwise provided, to enable the Secretary of State to provide for extraordinary protective services, as authorized, [\$22,814,000] \$27,159,000, to remain available until September 30, [2010] 2011. *(Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)*

EMERGENCIES IN THE DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR SERVICE

(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

For necessary expenses to enable the Secretary of State to meet unforeseen emergencies arising in the Diplomatic and Consular Service, [\$9,000,000] \$10,000,000, to remain available until expended as authorized, of which not to exceed \$1,000,000 may be transferred to, and merged with, funds appropriated by this Act under the heading "Repatriation Loans Program Account", subject to the same terms and conditions. *(Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)*

PAYMENT TO THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE IN TAIWAN

For necessary expenses to carry out the Taiwan Relations Act (Public Law 96-8), [\$16,840,000] \$21,174,000. *(Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)*

BUYING POWER MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

To offset adverse fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates and/or overseas wage and price changes, as authorized by section 24(b) of the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 U.S.C. 2696(b)), [\$5,000,000] \$10,000,000, to remain available until expended. *(Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)*

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector General, [\$37,000,000] *\$100,000,000*, notwithstanding section 209(a)(1) of the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (Public Law 96-465), as it relates to post inspections, *of which \$30,000,000 shall be for the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction for reconstruction oversight, and \$23,000,000 shall be for the Special Inspector General for Afghanistan Reconstruction for reconstruction oversight. (Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)*

[(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)]

[For an additional amount for "Office of Inspector General", \$9,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2009: *Provided*, That \$2,500,000 shall be transferred to the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction for reconstruction oversight, and \$2,000,000 shall be transferred to the Special Inspector General for Afghanistan Reconstruction for reconstruction oversight.]

[For an additional amount for "Office of Inspector General", \$57,000,000, which shall become available on October 1, 2008, and remain available through September 30, 2009: *Provided*, That \$36,500,000 shall be transferred to the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction for reconstruction oversight and \$5,000,000 shall be transferred to the Special Inspector General for Afghanistan Reconstruction for reconstruction oversight.] (*Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2008.*)

EMBASSY SECURITY, CONSTRUCTION, AND MAINTENANCE

For necessary expenses for carrying out the Foreign Service Buildings Act of 1926 (22 U.S.C. 292-303), preserving, maintaining, repairing, and planning for buildings that are owned or directly leased by the Department of State, renovating, in addition to funds otherwise available, the Harry S Truman Building, and carrying out the Diplomatic Security Construction Program as authorized, [\$801,344,000] *\$876,850,000*, to remain available until expended as authorized, of which not to exceed \$25,000 may be used for domestic and overseas representation as authorized: *Provided*, That none of the funds appropriated in this paragraph shall be available for acquisition of furniture, furnishings, or generators for other departments and agencies.

In addition, for the costs of worldwide security upgrades, acquisition, and construction as authorized, [\$770,000,000] *\$938,200,000*, to remain available until expended [: *Provided*, That funds made available by this paragraph may not be obligated until a plan is submitted to the Committees on Appropriations with the proposed allocation of funds made available by this Act and by proceeds of sales for all projects in fiscal year 2009: *Provided further*, That the Under Secretary for Management, United States Department of State, shall consult with the Committees on Appropriations on a regular and ongoing basis on the design of any proposed self-financed New Embassy Compound].

[In addition, for necessary expenses for overseas facility construction and related costs for the United States Agency for International Development, pursuant to section 667 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, \$135,225,000, to remain available until expended.] (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

[For an additional amount for "Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance", \$76,700,000, to remain available until expended, for facilities in Afghanistan.]

[For an additional amount for "Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance", \$41,300,000, which shall become available on October 1, 2008, and remain available until expended, for facilities in Afghanistan.] (*Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2008.*)

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PAYMENT TO THE FOREIGN SERVICE RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY FUND

For payment to the Foreign Service Retirement and Disability Fund, as authorized by law, [\$157,100,000] \$158,900,000. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

REPRESENTATION ALLOWANCES

For representation allowances as authorized, [\$8,175,000] \$8,887,000. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

REPATRIATION LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT

(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

For the cost of direct loans, [\$678,000] \$739,000, as authorized: *Provided*, That such costs, including the cost of modifying such loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974. In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to carry out the direct loan program, [\$675,000] \$711,000, which may be [transferred] *paid* to [, and merged with, funds made available under the heading] "Diplomatic and Consular Programs". (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL PEACEKEEPING ACTIVITIES

For necessary expenses to pay assessed and other expenses of international peacekeeping activities directed to the maintenance or restoration of international peace and security, [\$1,517,000,000] \$2,260,000,000, of which 15 percent shall remain available until September 30, [2010] 2011: *Provided*, That [none of the funds made available by this Act shall be obligated or expended for any new or expanded United Nations peacekeeping mission unless,] *it is the sense of Congress that* at least 15 days in advance of voting for [the] a new or expanded mission in the United Nations Security Council (or in an emergency as far in advance as is practicable): (1) the Committees on Appropriations [are] *should be* notified of the estimated cost and length of the mission, the national interest that will be served, and the planned exit strategy; (2) the Committees on Appropriations [are] *should be* notified that the United Nations has taken appropriate measures to prevent United Nations employees, contractor personnel, and peacekeeping forces serving in any United Nations peacekeeping mission from trafficking in persons, exploiting victims of trafficking, or committing acts of illegal sexual exploitation, and to hold accountable individuals who engage in such acts while participating in the peacekeeping mission, including the prosecution in their home countries of such individuals in connection with such acts; and (3) notification pursuant to section [7015] 7011 of this Act [is] *should be* submitted, and the procedures therein followed, setting forth the source of funds that will be used to pay for the cost of the new or expanded mission [: *Provided further*, That funds shall be available for peacekeeping expenses only upon a certification by the Secretary of State to the Committees on Appropriations that American manufacturers and suppliers are being given opportunities to provide equipment, services, and material for United Nations peacekeeping activities equal to those being given to foreign manufacturers and suppliers]. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

[For an additional amount for "Contributions for International Peacekeeping Activities", \$373,708,000, to remain available until September 30, 2009, of which \$333,600,000 shall be made available for the United Nations-African Union Hybrid Mission in Darfur.]

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[For an additional amount for "Contributions for International Peacekeeping Activities", \$150,500,000, which shall become available on October 1, 2008, and remain available through September 30, 2009.] (*Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2008.*)

CONTRIBUTIONS TO INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, to meet annual obligations of membership in international multilateral organizations, pursuant to treaties ratified pursuant to the advice and consent of the Senate, conventions or specific Acts of Congress, [\$1,529,400,000] \$1,797,000,000, of which \$20,453,000 shall remain available until September 30, 2014: *Provided*, [That the Secretary of State shall, at the time of the submission of the President's budget to Congress under section 1105(a) of title 31, United States Code, transmit to the Committees on Appropriations the most recent biennial budget prepared by the United Nations for the operations of the United Nations: *Provided further*, That the Secretary of State shall notify the Committees on Appropriations at least 15 days in advance (or in an emergency, as far in advance as is practicable) of any United Nations action to increase funding for any United Nations program without identifying an offsetting decrease elsewhere in the United Nations budget: *Provided further*,] That any payment of arrearages under this title shall be directed toward activities that are mutually agreed upon by the United States and the respective international organization: *Provided further*, That none of the funds appropriated in this paragraph shall be available for a United States contribution to an international organization for the United States ' share of interest costs made known to the United States Government by such organization for loans incurred on or after October 1, 1984, through external borrowings. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

[For an additional amount for "Contributions to International Organizations", \$66,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2009.]

[For an additional amount for "Contributions to International Organizations", \$75,000,000, which shall become available on October 1, 2008, and remain available through September 30, 2009.] (*Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2008.*)

INTERNATIONAL COMMISSIONS

For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, to meet obligations of the United States arising under treaties, or specific Acts of Congress, as follows:

INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY AND WATER COMMISSION, UNITED STATES AND MEXICO

For necessary expenses for the United States Section of the International Boundary and Water Commission, United States and Mexico, and to comply with laws applicable to the United States Section, including not to exceed \$6,000 for representation; as follows:

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

For salaries and expenses, not otherwise provided for, [\$32,256,000] \$33,000,000. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

CONSTRUCTION

For detailed plan preparation and construction of authorized projects, [\$43,250,000] \$43,250,000, to remain available until expended, as authorized. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

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AMERICAN SECTIONS, INTERNATIONAL COMMISSIONS

For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided, [\$11,649,000, of which \$7,559,000 is] for the International Joint Commission and [\$1,970,000 is for] the International Boundary Commission, United States and Canada, as authorized by treaties between the United States and Canada or Great Britain, and [\$2,120,000 is] for the Border Environment Cooperation Commission as authorized by Public Law 103-182 , \$12,608,000: *Provided*, That of the amount provided under this heading for the International Joint Commission, \$9,000 may be made available for representation expenses [45 days after submission to the Committees on Appropriations of a report detailing obligations, expenditures, and associated activities for fiscal years 2006, 2007, and 2008, including any unobligated funds which expired at the end of each fiscal year and the justification for why such funds were not obligated]. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

INTERNATIONAL FISHERIES COMMISSIONS

For necessary expenses for international fisheries commissions, not otherwise provided for, as authorized by law, [\$29,925,000] \$43,576,000: *Provided*, That the United States ' share of such expenses may be advanced to the respective commissions pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3324 : *Provided further, That, in addition to other funds available for such purposes, funds available under this heading may be used to make payments necessary to fulfill the United States' obligations under the Pacific Salmon Treaty.* (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

EAST-WEST CENTER

To enable the Secretary of State to provide for carrying out the provisions of the Center for Cultural and Technical Interchange Between East and West Act of 1960, by grant to the Center for Cultural and Technical Interchange Between East and West in the State of Hawaii, [\$21,000,000] \$11,730,000: *Provided*, That none of the funds appropriated herein shall be used to pay any salary, or enter into any contract providing for the payment thereof, in excess of the rate authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5376. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR DEMOCRACY

For grants made by the Department of State to the National Endowment for Democracy [,] as authorized by the National Endowment for Democracy Act, [\$115,000,000] \$100,000,000, to remain available until expended [, of which \$100,000,000 shall be allocated in the traditional and customary manner among the core institutes and \$15,000,000 shall be for democracy, human rights, and rule of law programs, of which \$250,000 shall be for programs and activities in Tibet]: *Provided*, That the President of the National Endowment for Democracy shall provide to the Committees on Appropriations not later than 45 days after the date of enactment of this Act a report on the proposed uses of funds under this heading on a regional and country basis: *Provided further*, That funds made available by this Act for the promotion of democracy may be made available for the National Endowment for Democracy notwithstanding any other provision of law or regulation. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

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THE ASIA FOUNDATION

For a grant to the Asia Foundation, as authorized by the Asia Foundation Act (22 U.S.C. 4402), [\$16,000,000] \$16,230,000, to remain available until expended, as authorized. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

EISENHOWER EXCHANGE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

For necessary expenses of Eisenhower Exchange Fellowships, Incorporated, as authorized by sections 4 and 5 of the Eisenhower Exchange Fellowship Act of 1990 (20 U.S.C. 5204-5205), all interest and earnings accruing to the Eisenhower Exchange Fellowship Program Trust Fund on or before September 30, [2009] 2010, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That none of the funds appropriated herein shall be used to pay any salary or other compensation, or to enter into any contract providing for the payment thereof, in excess of the rate authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5376; or for purposes which are not in accordance with OMB Circulars A-110 (Uniform Administrative Requirements) and A-122 (Cost Principles for Non-profit Organizations), including the restrictions on compensation for personal services.

ISRAELI ARAB SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

For necessary expenses of the Israeli Arab Scholarship Program as authorized by section 214 of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1992 and 1993 (22 U.S.C. 2452), all interest and earnings accruing to the Israeli Arab Scholarship Fund on or before September 30, [2009] 2010, to remain available until expended. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

CENTER FOR MIDDLE EASTERN-WESTERN DIALOGUE TRUST FUND

For necessary expenses of the Center for Middle Eastern-Western Dialogue Trust Fund, the total amount of the interest and earnings accruing to such Fund on or before September 30, [2009] 2010, to remain available until expended. (*Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.*)

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CIVILIAN STABILIZATION INITIATIVE

SEC. 7047. Funds appropriated or made available under this or any other Act for reconstruction and stabilization assistance, including funds that are reprogrammed or transferred to be made available for such purposes, may be made available for such purposes, notwithstanding any other provision of law: Provided, That the administrative authorities of the Foreign Assistance Act may be utilized for assistance furnished with such funds: Provided further, That the President may furnish additional assistance by executing the authorities provided in sections 552(c) and 610 of the Foreign Assistance Act, notwithstanding the percentage and dollar limitations in such sections: Provided further, That funds allocated or reprogrammed for purposes of this section shall remain available until expended.

BUYING POWER MAINTENANCE, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (INCLUDING TRANSFER AUTHORITY)

SEC. 7048. (a) There is hereby established in the Treasury of the United States a "Buying Power Maintenance, International Organizations" account.

(b) At the end of each fiscal year, the Secretary of State may transfer to and merge with "Buying Power Maintenance, International Organizations" such amounts from "Contributions to International Organizations" as the Secretary determines are in excess of the needs of activities funded from "Contributions to International Organizations" because of fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates that adversely affect U.S. contributions to international organizations.

(c) In order to offset adverse fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates, the Secretary of State may transfer to and merge with "Contributions to International Organizations" such amounts from "Buying Power Maintenance, International Organizations" as the Secretary determines are necessary to provide for the activities funded from "Contributions to International Organizations".

(d)(1) Subject to the limitations contained in this subsection, not later than the end of the fifth fiscal year after the fiscal year for which funds are appropriated or otherwise made available for Contributions to International Organizations, the Secretary of State may transfer any unobligated balance of such funds to the Buying Power Maintenance, International Organizations account.

(2) The balance of the Buying Power Maintenance, International Organizations account may not exceed \$100,000,000 as a result of any transfer under this subsection.

(3) Any transfer pursuant to this subsection shall be treated as a reprogramming of funds under section 34 of the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 U.S.C. 2706) and shall be available for obligation or expenditure only in accordance with the procedures under such section.

(e)(1) Funds transferred to the Buying Power Maintenance, International Organizations account pursuant to this section shall remain available until expended.

(2) The transfer authorities in this section shall be available for fiscal year 2010 and for each fiscal year thereafter and are in addition to any transfer authority otherwise available to the Department of State under other provisions of law.

ANNUITANT WAIVER

SEC. 7050. (a) Section 824 of the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4064) is amended in subsection (g)(1)(B) by inserting ", Pakistan," after "Iraq" each place it appears; by inserting "to positions in the Response Readiness Corps," before "or to posts vacated"; and, in subsection (g)(2), by striking "2009" and inserting in lieu thereof "2012".

(b) Section 61 of the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 U.S.C. 2733) is amended in subsection (a)(1) by adding ", Pakistan," after "Iraq" each place it appears; by inserting ", to positions in the Response Readiness Corps," before "or to posts vacated"; and, in subsection (a)(2), by striking "2008" and inserting in lieu thereof "2012".

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(c) Section 625 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2385) is amended in subsection (j)(1)(A) by adding ", Pakistan," after "Iraq" each place it appears; by inserting ", to positions in the Response Readiness Corps," before "or to posts vacated"; and, in subsection (j)(1)(B), by striking "2008" and inserting in lieu thereof "2012".

PRIORITY POST INCENTIVES

SEC. 7051. Notwithstanding sections 5753 (a)(2)(A) and 5754 (a)(2)(A) of Title 5, United States Code, appropriations made available by this or any other Act may be used to pay recruitment, relocation, and retention bonuses under Chapter 57 of Title 5, United States Code to members of the Foreign Service, other than chiefs of mission and ambassadors at large, who are on official duty in Iraq, Afghanistan, or Pakistan. This authority shall terminate on October 1, 2012.

(Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2009.)